

An Energy Efficiency Workshop & Exposition

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Load Management

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 Help develop a load management strategy to control energy usage and peak electrical demand



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- Present methods and ideas of a successful load management strategy



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Energy management process that employs diverse strategies to control energy cost and consumption



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 Facility Management System (FMS) with energy management functions



FMS Energy Management Features:

Optimal Start

Demand Limiting

Load Rolling



Optimal Start

Control feature that:

- Reduces energy during transaction from unoccupied/occupied
- Uses schedules, setpoints and temperature sensors (outdoor, space, mass)
- Determines the optimal time to start equipment and meet occupied space conditions



Demand Limiting

Control feature that:

- Monitors power consumption over a sliding interval
- Projects average power demand for each interval
- Compares projected power demand for the interval to a user-defined target
- Selectively sheds loads (turns off equipment)



Load Rolling

Control feature that:

- Sets a specific energy reduction goal
- Selectively sheds loads (expendable) to meet the reduction goal
- Works in conjunction with demand limiting



Shedding Loads



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Start/stop control for loads connected to the FMS



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Radio (FM) switches for equipment not connected to FMS

















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- Natural Gas Chillers



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